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Applicant: William J. LaBarge et al.

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Title: CATALYST SUBSTRATE HAVING IMPROVED THERMAL DURABILITY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Please grant a THREE (3) month extension of time from 24 MAY 2005 to 24 AUGUST 2005 to allow sufficient time for response to the Office Action.

Please charge the fee for this petition and any additional fees to Delphi Technologies, Inc., Deposit Account 50-0831.

Respectfully submitted,

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